DISTRICT REPORTS.

- 8. Markets how supplied.
- 9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
- 10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
- 11. Public health.
- 12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock; failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week. Current

Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) 7.41

7.47) Quantity per rupee by

Ragi ... 13 97

13 40 the standard seer of

Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...

7.47) 80 tolas.

Agricultural operations.—Thrashing of floor is being prepared. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

- 8. Market is well supplied.
- 9. Progress of agricultural operations.—Paddy, horse gram are being harvested in most of the taluks. Sugar-cane is being milled in some parts of Dodballapur and Channapatna Taluks. In some parts of Devanhalli Taluk; sowing of potatoes, mulberry and chillies is reported.
 - State of standing crops.—The standing crops, such as paddy, sugar-cane, potatoes, mulberry and chillies are reported to be in good condition.
 - Crops harvested and their outturn.—Bangalore Taluk—paddy 6 to 8 annas; Hoskote Taluk—paddy 4 to 6 annas; kulthi 6 annas; ragi 4 to 10 annas; Dodballapur Taluk—paddy 4 to 12 annas, kulthi 4 to 12 annas, ragi 4 to 12 annas; Nelamangala Taluk—paddy 4 to 12 annas; Anekal Taluk—paddy 4 to 12 annas.
- 10. The prospect of the season is good. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.
- 11. Except for plague in a few villages of Hoskote, Magadi, Devanhalli, Bangalore, Dodballapur Taluks and both plague and small-pox in some parts of Anekal Taluk, public health is generally good.
 - 12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

- 8. Market is well supplied.
- 9. Agricultural operations.—Raiyats are engaged in harvesting horse gram and sugarcane in all

ir outturn.—Horse gram and sugar-cane in almost all the

e, togari are reported to be in fair condition, but

Prices of food stuffs continue to be high.

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Crops harvested.—Tumkur Taluk—paddy, 4 to 8 annas; togari and avare, 4 annas; Chiknayakanhalli Taluk—avare, togari, jola, castor; Sira Taluk—horse gram and Bengal gram, 4 annas; Gubbi Taluk—horse gram, 4 to 10 annas; paddy and sugar-cane, 8 to 12 annas; Tiptur Taluk—castor; Kunigal Taluk—horse gram and haraka, 4 annas, sugar-cane, 8 annas; Koratagere Sub-Taluk—paddy, 4 to 8 annas, sugar-cane 8 to 12 annas, avare, castor and groundnuts, 4 annas; Turuvekere Sub-Taluk—avare, togari and castor, 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, avare, togari, sugar-cane, wheat, jola, Bengal gram, cotton, castor, gingelly, groundnuts, black and green grams are reported to be generally in fair condition, except in parts of Sira, Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks. The jola crop sown in the tank beds in the Sira Taluk is said to be attacked by insects and that sown in parts of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk is said to be withering for want of rain.

- 10. Prospects of the season are generally fair, except in parts of Sira and Pavagada Taluks. Food stuffs are generally available. Insufficiency of drinking water is felt in parts of Sira, Pavagada and Maddagiri Taluks.
 - 11. Except for plague in Tumkur town, public health is reported to be generally good.
- 12. Except for 'Dodda roga' in Pavagada town and Palvalli village of the Pavagada Taluk, cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are generally available at present, but scarcity for the same apprehended, as summer advances in parts of Sira, Pavagada and Maddagiri Taluks.

MYSORE.

- 8. Market is well supplied.
- 9. State of standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, haraka, togari, avare, sugar-cane, mulberry, Bengal gram, castor and cotton are reported to be in good condition.
 - Crops harvested.—Myscre Taluk—paddy, ragi, togari, avare and horse gram; Chamrajnagar Taluk—paddy, horse gram, togari, Bengal gram and jola; Seringapatam Taluk—paddy, avare, togari and chilli; Hunsur Taluk—horse gram, togari each yield 8 annas; paddy, ragi and jola, each yield 10 annas; Yedatore Taluk—paddy, til, castor, black and green grams; Gundlupet Taluk—paddy and horse gram, each yield 4 to 8 annas; Nanjangud Taluk—paddy, horse and Bengal grams and togari; Krishnarajpete Taluk—paddy; Nagamangala Taluk—Bengal gram, paddy and sugar-cane; T.-Narsipur Taluk—sugar-cane and paddy, castor, togari and horse gram, each yield 6 to 12 annas; Mandya Taluk—paddy, togari and sugar-cane.
 - 10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.
- 11. Plague is reported to be prevalent in parts of almost all the taluks, except Seringapatam, Malvalli and Nagamangala Taluks. Public health is reported to be good on the whole.
- 12. Cattle are reported to be healthy, except in parts of Mysore and Nanjangud Taluks, where they are affected by Dod roga. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

- 8. Market is well supplied.
- 9. Standing corps.—Avare, paddy, sugar-cane, cast avare, castor and horse gram in the Belur Talvithe Arsikere Taluk; sugar-cane, paddy, horse grayapatna Taluk; dry crops, such as avare, etc. Bengal gram, togari in the Arkalgud Taluk are raiyats are busily engaged in harvesting operators and clouds averaging and Parada Taluk.

SHIMOGA.

- 8. Market is well supplied.
- 9. Agricultural operations.—Lands are being ploughed in the taluks of Channagiri and Shikarpur.
 - Standing crops.—Bengal gram and jola in the Channagiri Taluk and sugar-cane in the taluks of Shimoga, Sagar, Sorab and Kumsi are reported to be in good condition.
 - Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane is being milled in the taluks of Shimoga, Shikarpur and Sorab.
 - 10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.
- 11. Public health is generally good, but a few cases of plague are reported from parts of Kumsi and Shimoga Taluks and small-pox prevails in a few villages of the Sorab and Sagar Taluks.
- 12. Fodder and water are available. Cattle are generally healthy. Rinderpest is reported to be prevalent in Mallenahalli village, Shikarpur Taluk.

KADUR.

- 8. Market is well supplied.
- 9. Agricultural operations.—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in Chikmagalur and Mudgere Taluks.

Crops sown.—Green gram is being sown in Tarikere Taluk.

- Standing crops.—Chikmagalur Taluk—Bengal gram, coriander, garlic, onions and menthya; Kadur Taluk—jola, avare, togari, Bengal gram, sugar-cane and wheat; Tarikere—horse gram and togari; Koppa Taluk—areca, coffee and pepper; Yedahalli—sugar-cane and coffee; and Sringeri—paddy, sugar-cane and areca. All these crops are reported to be in good condition.
- Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur Taluk—horse gram, sugar-cane, coffee, and paddy yield 6 to 12 annas; Kadur Taluk—ragi, paddy, coriander, castor and sugar-cane, yield 8 to 12 annas; Tarikere Taluk—paddy, sugar-cane, Bengal gram, ragi and avare yield 12 annas; Koppa Taluk—areca, and paddy yield 10 to 12 annas; Mudgere Taluk—areca and coffee yield 4 to 12 annas; Yedahalli Sub-Taluk—paddy, coffee and sugar-cane yield 8 to 12 annas; Sringeri—areca, sugar-cane and paddy yield 6 to 12 annas.
- 10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.
- 11. Except for plague in certain villages of Tarikere Taluk, the public health is generally good.
 - 12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

- 8. Market is well supplied.
- 9. Standing Crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, wheat, barley, cotton, Bengal gram, jola, horse gram and castor are reported to be in fair condition, except cotton (small), Broach cotton and Nandyal cotton in few parts of Harihar Sub-Taluk which are reported to be withering.
 - Crops harvested.—Horse gram in the Challakere, Molakalmuru, Jagalur, and Hiriyur Taluks, yield 4 to 8 annas; tobacco in the Hiriyur Taluk; ragi and jola in the Holalkere, Davangere, Molakalmuru, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks, yield 4 to 8 annas; dhal in the Hosdurga and Holalkere Taluks, yield 4 to 8 annas; Beans and Haraka in the Holalkere Taluk, yield 8 annas; castor in the Jagalur Taluk, yield 8 annas; navane, sajje and chillies in the Hosdurga Taluk.
- 10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.
- 11. Public health is generally good.
- 12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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